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Proposed Bill No. 81 - SUPPORT

Statement of Purpose: To increase apprenticeship opportunities in the state by allowing each journeyman or contractor to take on up to five apprentices.

The Connecticut Spa & Pool Association (CONSPA) supports PROPOSED BILL NO. 81.

The proposed legislation offers a modest change to the licensee and apprentice (or DCP trainee) ratio.

The ability to hire additional apprentice or trainees will remove a tremendous operating burden, from Connecticut's many private or "MOM & POP" contractors.

This relief will create jobs and measurable economic growth for Connecticut's hard working occupational licensees, business owners and citizens striving to enter the workforce.

Connecticut's citizens deserve an increased ability to safely hire, train and foster a workforce, not only to compete but to succeed.

CONSPA urges passage of Proposed Bill No. 81 to strengthen Connecticut's marketable workforce with demonstrable technical competence and increase public health and safety.

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Respectfully,
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